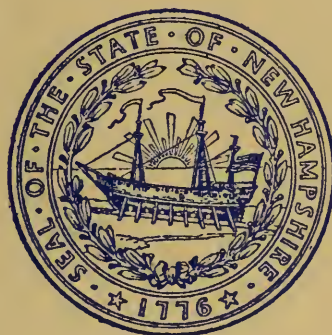


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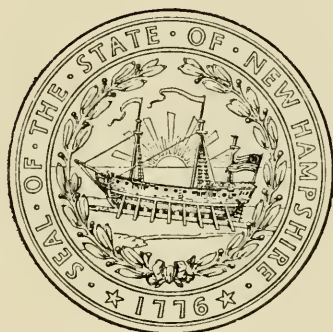
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TOWN OFFICERS**Town Meeting – March***Town Clerk*

ELIZABETH P. POLLARD '63

Selectmen

ROBERT P. WILLIAMS JR. '63

HOLLIS L. POLLARD '64

WILLIAM T. THISTLE '65

Treasurer

CLARA B. JENNESS '63

Tax Collector

QUENTIN A. CURLEY '63

Road Agent

JOHN L. JENNESS '63

Police Chief

WILLIAM WEIR '63

Trustees of Trust Funds

JAMES H. TOWNSEND '63

FRANCIS W. CLEMENT '63

HARRY W. SMITH '64

Library Trustees

GERTRUDE BUCKLIN '63

ALICE B. DICKINSON '64

MYRA CAVIS '65

Appointments*Fire Warden*

HOLLIS L. POLLARD '64

Deputy Wardens

JOHN L. JENNESS '64

DONALD E. ATWOOD '64

DELMORE A. BUCKLIN '64

RAYMOND TUCKER '64

November Election*Supervisors of Checklist*

ESTHER MORRILL '64

CECILE GRAY '64

ETHEL YOUNG '64

Moderator

EDGAR N. JOSEPHSON '64

TOWN WARRANT**The State of New Hampshire**

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Bridgewater in the County of Grafton in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at Grange Hall in said Bridgewater on Tuesday, the 12th day of March, to act upon the following subjects:

Polls to be open from 1 P.M. to 7 P.M. Business Meeting at 8 P.M.

1. To choose a selectman for three years and all other necessary Town Officers.
2. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$427.24 for T.R.A., providing that the State contributes the sum of \$2,848.24.
3. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$450.00 the same being the amount necessary to complete the water hole at Tilton Brook.
4. To see if the Town will vote to request the assistance of the State Tax Commission in appraising the improved lands and buildings and raise and appropriate the sum of \$800.00 this year to defray in part the cost thereof, the balance of such expense to be raised by the 1964 Town Meeting.
5. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$900.00, the same being one-third of the amount necessary to exchange the present 4 wheel-drive pickup truck and plow for a new 4 wheel-drive pickup truck and plow, make and model to be determined by the selectmen with the advice of the Highway Advisory Committee and to authorize the selectmen to issue a series of notes for the balance which is not to exceed the sum of \$1,800.00 for a period not exceeding two years.
6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of one (\$1.00) dollar and other considerations.

(which are: Grange to have use of hall for all meetings connected with the Grange as long as the Grange is in existence and any non-profit organization or group of the Town of Bridgewater to have use of the hall, free of charge, as they have in the past and said Town of Bridgewater to bear all expenses of the building) to purchase the Grange Hall. (By Request)

7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,500.00 the same being one-third of the amount necessary to construct a garage for the storage and repair of Town equipment. Said building to be located on Town owned land adjacent to the Dick Brown Road.
8. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for current maintenance expenses for the ensuing year, as estimated in the budget, excepting Highways and Bridges.
9. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the maintenance of Highways and Bridges, for the ensuing year.
10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,575.00 to pay principal and interest on the long term note.
11. To see if the Town will authorize the selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes and to deliver inventory blanks when assessing.
12. To transact any further business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal this 23rd day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and sixty-three.

ROBERT P. WILLIAMS JR.,
HOLLIS L. POLLARD,
WILLIAM T. THISTLE,

Selectmen of Bridgewater

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF BRIDGEWATER

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year Jan. 1, 1963 to December 31, 1963, compared with Estimated and Actual Revenue, Appropriations and Expenditures of the Previous Year January 1, 1962 to December 31, 1962.

	Estimated Revenue Previous Yr. 1962	Actual Revenue Previous Yr. 1962	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Yr. 1963
From State:			
Interest and Dividends Tax	\$595.75	\$597.85	\$600.00
Railroad Tax		3.24	3.24
From Local Sources Except Taxes:			
Dog Licenses	150.00	179.90	180.00
Business Licenses, Permits and Filing Fees	30.00	48.00	45.00
Interest Received on Taxes and Deposits	150.00	313.02	300.00
Income of Departments:			
Driveway Plowing	500.00	480.00	470.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	2,200.00	2,789.64	2,750.00
From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes:			
Poll Taxes—Regular at \$2	250.00	260.00	250.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	13.00	13.00	13.00
Yield Taxes	100.00	145.95	50.00
Total Revenues From All Sources			
Except Property Taxes	\$3,988.75	\$4,839.60	\$4,661.24
Amt. to be Raised by Prop. Taxes			59,077.00
TOTAL REVENUES			\$63,738.24

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF BRIDGEWATER

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES	Appropriations Previous Year	Actual Estimated Expenditures Pre- vious Yr.	Estimated Expenditures En- suing Yr.
Current Maintenance Expenses:	1962	1962	1963
General Government:			
Town Officers' Salaries	\$1,675.00	\$1,663.57	\$1,675.00
Town Officers' Expenses	1,200.00	1,373.64	1,200.00
Election and Registration Expenses	325.00	257.58	100.00
Auto Permit Fees	140.00	150.50	175.00
Expenses, Town Hall	75.00	28.53	100.00
Employees' Ret. and Social Security	300.00	341.98	375.00
Protection of Persons and Property:			
Police Department	100.00	240.29	150.00
Fire Department	2,250.00	1,341.16	1,200.00
Blister Rust & Care of Trees			100.00
Insurance	750.00	448.59	700.00
Damages and Legal Expenses	115.00	41.01	100.00
Civil Defense			100.00
Health: NANA			100.00
Town Dump	300.00	354.16	450.00
Vital Statistics	6.00	6.50	7.00
Highways and Bridges:			
Town Maintenance	10,500.00	14,443.60	10,500.00
Town Road Aid	428.03	428.03	427.24
Libraries	225.00	225.00	225.00
Public Welfare: Town Poor	100.00	19.50	100.00
Old Age Assistance	750.00	730.94	750.00
Patriotic Purposes: Memorial Day	15.00	15.00	15.00
Recreation: Parks and Playgrounds	100.00	100.00	150.00
Pub. Serv. Enterprise: Adv., Reg. Assoc.	75.00	75.00	75.00
Interest: On Temporary Loans	300.00	378.92	300.00
On Long Term Notes and Bonds	153.00	28.00	235.00
New Construction, Water Hole	500.00	436.63	450.00
New Building			1,500.00
New Equipment	1,500.00	1,500.00	2,135.00
Payment on Principal of Debt:			
Long Term Notes	800.00	800.00	1,500.00
Payment to Capital Reserve Funds	500.00	500.00	
Revaluation			800.00
County Taxes	5,440.74	5,440.74	5,500.00
School Taxes	33,132.48	33,132.48	32,544.00
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$61,955.25	\$64,701.35	\$63,738.24

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

Financial Condition:

The financial operation of the Town for 1962 resulted in a deficit of \$1,305.64. With the issuance of \$3,000 in long term notes the net debt now stands \$4,305.64. The operating deficit resulted from an overdraft in highway expenditures. This is detailed below.

Highway Department:

As an aid to analysis of the expenditures of this department a breakdown of the various categories plus a comparison with the previous year is offered.

	1961		1962	
Labor :				
Agent's Salary	\$3,354.32		\$3,298.09	
Payroll	2,968.94		2,750.00	
	<hr/>		<hr/>	
Total	\$6,323.26	53%	\$6,048.09	42%
Repairs	1,728.57	14%	3,620.70	26%
Materials	862.51	7%	2,038.28	14%
Gas and Oil	1,423.15	12%	1,065.34	8%
Equipment Hire	1,645.00	14%	1,040.34	10%
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Total	\$11,982.49	100%	\$14,430.16	100%

Further breakdown of the repairs category shows that Grader repairs totaled \$408.89, Snow Plow \$471.56 and the York Rake \$129.00. The balance consists of truck repairs, welding, etc.

Included under materials are two years worth of sand and salt, and driveway receipts were under last year.

An article in the warrant calls for consideration of a storage garage for Town Equipment. We feel that equipment not in actual use should be stored, repaired and painted

if necessary in off peak periods thereby being readily available when needed.

Town Dump:

Refuse brought in from outside of Town presented more than the usual problem of disposal during the year. It is planned to erect a sign before the summer season forbidding this practice. A slightly larger appropriation is being asked for this year to grade the disposal area and fence off a section where dumping is not allowed.

It may be interesting to know that the Bridgewater Town Dump is considered to be one of the best cared for in this region.

Fire Department:

The Town was again fortunate to escape serious loss from Forest Fires during the hazardous dry and windy period of last spring. However other types of fires reached an all-time high during the year.

Work was started on the Tilton Brook reservoir in the fall. Trees were cut, a diversion ditch was excavated to take care of the flow of the brook while a dragline hired from the Goodwin Crane & Equipment Service removed the accumulation of silt and muck from the reservoir.

A gate lifting device has been procured from the Public Service Co. of N.H. and an obsolete hydrant with standard steamer connections is on the site ready to be put in place.

As estimates of the cost of excavation presented to the Selectmen the previous year proved to be inaccurate we do not have on hand sufficient funds to complete the job and an article has been placed in the warrant to cover this.

Circumstances did not permit the conversion of the Fire Truck acquired from the Forestry Department during the past year. Funds for this purpose were forwarded from last

year's appropriation and it is expected it will be ready for service in the near future.

We recommend that if funds are available, that a series of dry hydrants or standpipes be placed in strategic locations such as at Drew Pond on the River Road, and along the shore of Newfound Lake.

Revaluation:

Again this year we are asking the Town Meeting to authorize the State Tax Commission to effect a revaluation of the Town. Absence of available time on the part of the Selectmen is the main consideration for this request.

STATE AUDIT

Division of Municipal Accounting - State Tax Commission
Concord, New Hampshire

SUMMARY OF FINDINGS & RECOMMENDATIONS

February 8, 1963

Board of Selectmen
 Bridgewater, New Hampshire

Gentlemen:

Submitted herewith is the report of the annual examination and audit of the accounts of the Town of Bridgewater for the fiscal year ended December 31, 1962, which was made by this Division in accordance with the vote of the Town. Exhibits as hereafter listed are included as part of the report.

Scope of Audit

Included in the examination and audit were the accounts and records of the Board of Selectmen, Treasurer, Tax Collector, Town Clerk and Trustees of Trust Funds.

Financial Statements

Comparative Balance Sheets:

December 31, 1961 — December 31, 1962: (Exhibit A-1)

Comparative Balance Sheets as of December 31, 1961 and December 31, 1962, are presented in Exhibit A-1. As indicated therein, the Net Debt increased by \$3,884.91, from \$420.73 to \$4,305.64, in 1962.

Analysis of Change in Financial Condition: (Exhibit A-2)

An analysis of the change in financial condition of the Town during the year is made in Exhibit A-2, with the factors which caused the change indicated therein. These were as follows:

Increase in Net Debt

Long Term Notes Issued	\$3,000.00	
Net Budget Deficit	1,684.91	
	<hr/>	\$4,684.91

Decrease in Net Debt

Long Term Notes Paid	<hr/>	800.00
<i>Net Increase</i>		\$3,884.91

*Comparative Statements of Appropriations and Expenditures—Estimated and Actual Revenues:**(Exhibits A-3 & A-4)*

Comparative statements of appropriations and expenditures, estimated and actual revenues for the fiscal year ended December 31, 1962, are presented in Exhibits A-3 and A-4. As indicated by the budget summary (Exhibit A-4), a net overdraft of appropriations of \$2,711.65, less a revenue surplus of \$1,026.74, resulted in a net budget deficit of \$1,684.91. *Summary Statement of Receipts and Expenditures:*

(Exhibit B-1)

A summary statement of receipts and expenditures for the fiscal year ended December 31, 1962, made up in accordance with the uniform classification of accounts, is included in Exhibit B-1. Proof of the Treasurer's balance as of December 31, 1962, is indicated in Exhibit B-2.

Audit Procedure

The accounts and records of all town officials charged with the custody, receipt and disbursement of public funds were examined and audited. Vouchers and cancelled checks were compared with supporting invoices and payrolls as well as entries in the books of record. Receipts were checked by source insofar as possible and totals of receipts and expendi-

tures verified. Book balances were verified by comparison with reconciled bank balances made from statements obtained from depository banks. Verification of uncollected taxes was made by mailing notices to delinquent taxpayers as indicated by the Collector's records. The amounts of uncollected and unredeemed taxes as indicated in this report are therefore subject to any changes which may be necessitated by the return of verification notices.

General Comments

Current Deficit:

It is noted that the current financial condition of the Town changed from a current surplus (excess of total assets over current liabilities) of \$379.27, to a current deficit (excess of current liabilities over total assets) of \$1,305.64, in 1962, as shown herewith:

	12/31/61	12/31/62
<i>Total Assets</i>	\$19,573.78	\$22,077.56
<i>Current Liabilities</i>	19,194.51	23,383.20
	<hr/>	<hr/>
<i>Current Surplus or (Deficit)</i>	\$379.27	(1,305.64)

Conclusion:

The provisions of Chapter 184, of the Laws of 1955, require that this report or the summary of findings and recommendations (letter of transmittal) shall be published in the next annual report of the Town.

We extend our thanks to the officials of the Town of Bridgewater for their assistance during the course of the audit.

Yours very truly,

HAROLD G. FOWLER, Director
Division of Municipal Accounting
State Tax Commission

Lionel J. DeGrace, Auditor
George L. Russell, Accountant

Certificate of Audit*February 8, 1963*

This is to certify that we have examined and audited the accounts and records of the Town of Bridgewater for the fiscal year ended December 31, 1962. In our opinion, the Exhibits included herewith reflect the true financial condition of the Town as of December 31, 1962, together with the results of operations for the fiscal year ended on that date.

Respectfully submitted,

HAROLD G. FOWLER, Director
Division of Municipal Accounting
State Tax Commission

Lionel J. DeGrace, Auditor

George L. Russell, Accountant

EXHIBIT A-1**COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEET**

As of Dec. 31, 1961 and Dec. 31, 1962

— ASSETS —

	December 31, 1961	December 31, 1962
Cash:		
Treasurer	\$6,150.76	\$7,802.24
Capital Reserve Funds:		
Fire Department	\$1,008.33	\$1,568.28
Highway Equipment	2,000.00	2,115.45
	<hr/> 3,008.33	<hr/> 3,683.73
Bounties Due from State	20.50	17.00
Unredeemed Taxes - Levies of 1960 and 1961	30.85	63.70
Uncollected Taxes:		
Levy of 1962		\$9,674.54
Levy of 1961	\$9,459.26	37.09
Levy of 1960	355.70	355.70
Levies of Prior Years	283.38	148.56
	<hr/> 10,098.34	<hr/> 10,215.89
Uncollected State Head Taxes:		
Levy of 1962		\$280.00
Levy of 1961	\$260.00	10.00
Levy of 1960	5.00	5.00
	<hr/> 265.00	<hr/> 295.00
Total Assets	\$19,573.78	\$22,077.56
Net Debt	420.73	4,305.64
Total Assets & Net Debt	\$19,994.51	\$26,383.20

— LIABILITIES —

December 31, 1961 December 31, 1962

Unexpended Balances of Special**Appropriations:**

Water Hole	\$300.00	\$63.37
School Tax	14,950.19	17,012.48
Cemetery	50.00	50.00
Planning and Zoning	100.00	100.00
Fire Department		988.66
Highway Department - Special Project		1,000.00
	————— \$15,400.19	————— \$19,214.51
Capital Reserve Funds	3,008.33	3,683.73

Due State of New Hampshire:

Head Taxes - Uncollected	\$260.00	\$280.00
Head Taxes - Collected	16.50	42.50
Spec. Yield Taxes, uncol.	130.87	86.37
Spec. Yield Taxes, collected	208.80	76.09
	————— 616.17	————— 484.96
Excess Remit., due Town Clerk	169.82	
Long Term Notes outstanding	800.00	3,000.00
	—————	—————
Total Liabilities	\$19,994.51	\$26,383.20

EXHIBIT A-2**ANALYSIS OF CHANGE IN FINANCIAL CONDITION****Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1962**

Net Debt - December 31, 1962	\$4,305.64	
Net Debt - December 31, 1961	420.73	
Increase in Net Debt	<u> </u>	\$3,884.91

— Analysis of Change —**Increases:**

Long Term Notes Issued	\$3,000.00	
Net Budget Deficit	1,684.91	
	<u> </u>	\$4,684.91

Decrease:

Long Term Notes Paid	800.00	
Net Increase	<u> </u>	\$3,884.91

EXHIBIT A-3

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS
AND EXPENDITURES

Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1962

	Forwarded From 1961	Appropriations 1962	Receipts and Reim- bursements
Town Officers' Salaries		\$1,675.00	
Auto Permit Fees		140.00	
Town Officers' Expenses		1,200.00	
Election and Registration		325.00	
Town Buildings Maintenance		75.00	
Police Department		100.00	\$14.00
Fire Department		2,250.00	79.82
Insurance		750.00	76.58
Planning and Zoning	\$100.00		
Damages and Legal		115.00	
Visiting Nurse		200.00	
Vital Statistics		6.00	
Town Dump		300.00	
Town Road Aid		428.03	
Town Maintenance		10,500.00	843.36
Highway Dept. - Special Project		1,000.00	
Libraries		225.00	
Old Age Assistance		750.00	
Town Poor		100.00	
Memorial Day		15.00	
Parks and Playgrounds		100.00	
Cemeteries	50.00		
Advertising & Regional Assoc.		75.00	
Social Security		300.00	
Principal of Debt		800.00	
Interest on Debt		453.00	
Water Hole	300.00	200.00	
Capital Reserve Fund - Fire Dept.		500.00	
County Tax		5,440.74	
School Tax	14,950.19	33,132.48	
Overlay		565.10	
New Equipment		1,500.00	(*)3,000.00
	<hr/>	<hr/>	<hr/>
	\$15,400.19	\$63,220.35	\$4,013.76

(*)Long Term Note Issued for Purchase of Truck.

Total Amount Available	Expendi- tures 1962	———Balances———		Forwarded To 1963
		Unexpended	Overdrafts	
\$1,675.00	\$1,663.57	\$11.43		
140.00	150.50		\$10.50	
1,200.00	1,373.64		173.64	
325.00	257.58	67.42		
75.00	28.53	46.47		
114.00	240.29		126.29	
2,329.82	1,341.16			\$988.66
823.58	448.59	377.99		
100.00				100.00
115.00	41.01	73.99		
200.00	200.00			
6.00	6.50		.50	
300.00	354.13		54.16	
428.03	423.03			
11,343.36	14,443.60		3,100.24	
1,000.00				1,000.00
225.00	225.00			
750.00	730.94	19.06		
100.00	19.50	80.50		
15.00	15.00			
100.00	100.00			
50.00				50.00
75.00	75.00			
300.00	683.96		383.96	
800.00	800.00			
453.00	406.92	46.08		
500.00	436.63			63.37
500.00	500.00			
5,440.74	5,440.74			
48,032.67	31,070.19			17,012.48
565.10	50.40	514.70		
4,500.00	4,600.00		100.00	
<hr/> \$82,634.30	<hr/> \$66,131.44	<hr/> \$1,237.64	<hr/> \$3,949.29	<hr/> \$19,214.51

EXHIBIT A-4**COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED AND
ACTUAL REVENUES AND BUDGET SUMMARY****Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1962**

	Revenues		
	Estimated	Actual	Excess
Interest and Dividends Tax	\$595.75	\$597.85	\$2.10
Railroad Tax		3.24	3.24
Yield Tax Revenue	100.00	145.95	45.95
Dog Licenses	150.00	179.90	29.90
Business Licenses and Permits	30.00	48.00	18.00
Motor Vehicle Permits	2,200.00	2,789.64	589.64
Interest on Taxes	150.00	313.02	163.02
Added Taxes		42.00	42.00
Head Tax Commissions		83.89	83.89
Taxes Committed in Excess of Budgetary Requirements		46.00	46.00
1961 Check No. 2380 Voided		3.00	3.00
	<hr/>	<hr/>	<hr/>
	\$3,225.75	\$4,252.49	\$1,026.74

— Budget Summary —

Overdrafts of Appropriations	\$3,949.29	
Unexpended Bal. of Appropriations	1,237.64	
Net Overdraft of Appropriations	<hr/>	\$2,711.65
Actual Revenues	\$4,252.49	
Estimated Revenues	3,225.75	
Revenue Surplus	<hr/>	1,026.74
Net Budget Deficit		<hr/> \$1,684.91

EXHIBIT B-1

**CLASSIFIED STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS
AND EXPENDITURES**

Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1962

— Receipts —

Local Taxes:**Current Year:**

Property Taxes	\$50,400.60
Poll Taxes	166.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	13.00
Head Taxes	595.00
	<hr/> \$51,174.60

Prior Years:

Property Taxes	\$8,853.22
Poll Taxes	82.00
Yield Taxes	579.37
Head Taxes	260.00
	<hr/> 9,774.59
Interest on Taxes	313.02
Head Tax Penalties	28.50
Tax Sales Redeemed	28.03
	<hr/> \$61,318.74

From State of New Hampshire:

Interest and Dividends Tax	\$597.85
Railroad Tax	3.24
Bounties	19.50
Fighting Forest Fires	79.82
Road Toll Refunds	227.35
	<hr/> 927.76

From Local Sources, Except Taxes:

Dog Licenses	\$179.90
Business Licenses, Permits & Filing Fees	48.00
Motor Vehicle Permits	2,789.64
Income from Highway Department	630.01
Insurance Refund	76.58
	<hr/> 3,724.13

EXHIBIT B-1 (Continued)**Receipts Other Than Current Revenue:**

Temporary Loans in Anticipation of Taxes	\$25,000.00	
Long Term Notes Issued	3,000.00	
Yield Tax Security	5.11	
1961 Check No. 2380 Voided	3.00	
	<hr/>	28,008.11
Total Receipts		\$93,978.74
Balance - December 31, 1961		6,150.76
		<hr/>
Grand Total		\$100,129.50

— EXPENDITURES —**General Government:**

Town Officers' Salaries	\$1,663.57	
Town Officers' Expenses	1,373.64	
Election and Registration	257.58	
Town Clerk's Fees	150.50	
Town Hall and Bldgs Maintenance	28.53	
	<hr/>	\$3,473.82

Protection of Persons and Property:

Fire Department	\$1,341.16	
Insurance	448.59	
Police	240.29	
Damages and Legal	41.01	
Bounties	16.00	
	<hr/>	2,087.05

Health:

Visiting Nurse	\$200.00	
Vital Statistics	6.50	
Town Dump	354.16	
	<hr/>	560.66

Highways and Bridges:

Town Road Aid	\$428.03	
Town Maintenance - Summer	6,387.76	
Town Maintenance - Winter	8,055.84	
	<hr/>	14,871.63

EXHIBIT B-1 (Continued)

Libraries:		225.00
Public Welfare:		
Old Age Assistance	\$730.94	
Town Poor	19.50	
	<hr/>	750.44
Patriotic Purposes: Memorial Day		15.00
Recreation: Parks and Playgrounds		100.00
Unclassified:		
Advertising and Regional Associations	\$75.00	
Social Security	638.96	
Taxes Bought by Town	60.88	
Refund - Town Clerk	169.82	
Abatements	2.00	
Yield Tax Security	5.11	
	<hr/>	\$996.77
Interest:		406.92
Outlay for New Construction, Equipment and		
Permanent Improvements: Water Hole	\$436.63	
New Equipment	4,600.00	
	<hr/>	5,036.63
Indebtedness: Temporary Loans	\$25,000.00	
Long Term Notes	800.00	
Capital Reserve Fund - Fire Department	500.00	
	<hr/>	26,300.00
Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:		
State Head Taxes	\$783.61	
Bond and Debt Retirement Tax	208.80	
County Tax	5,440.74	
School Tax	31,070.19	
	<hr/>	37,503.34
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Total Expenditures		\$92,327.26
Balance - December 31, 1962		7,802.24
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Grand Total		\$100,129.50

EXHIBIT B-2**SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS, EXPENDITURES AND
PROOF OF BALANCE****Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1962**

Balance - December 31, 1961	\$6,150.76	
Receipts During Year	93,978.74	
	<hr/>	\$100,129.50
Expenditures During Year		92,327.26
Balance - December 31, 1962		<hr/> \$7,802.24

— Proof of Balance —

Balance in the First National Bank of Bristol—per Statement Dec. 28, 1962		\$5,626.87
Add: Deposits of —		
January 2, 1963	\$4,695.97	
January 8, 1963	364.50	
January 8, 1963	55.01	
January 17, 1963	130.00	
	<hr/>	5,245.48
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		\$10,872.35
Less: Outstanding Checks		3,070.11
Reconciled Balance - December 31, 1962		<hr/> \$7,802.24

EXHIBIT C-1**SUMMARY OF WARRANTS****Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1962****DEBITS:**

Levies of:	1962	1961	1960	1958	1957	1954
Uncollected Taxes -						
12/31/61:						
Property taxes		\$8,897.62	\$96.00			
Poll taxes		84.00	2.00			
Yield taxes		477.64	257.70	\$27.00	\$22.92	\$233.46
Taxes Committed						
to Collector:						
Property Taxes	\$59,767.60					
Poll Taxes	260.00					
National Bank						
Stock Taxes	13.00					
Yield Taxes	177.54					
Added Taxes:						
Property Taxes	36.00					
Poll Taxes		6.00				
Interest Collected	5.47	306.53				
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
	\$60,259.61	\$9,771.79	\$355.70	\$27.00	\$22.92	\$233.46

CREDITS:**Remittances to****Treasurer:**

Property Taxes	\$50,400.60	\$8,853.22				
Poll Taxes	166.00	82.00				
National Bank						
Stock Taxes	13.00					
Yield Taxes		444.55				\$134.82
Interest	5.47	306.53				

Abatements:

Property Taxes	44.40
Poll Taxes	4.00

Uncollected Taxes -

12/31/62:						
Property Taxes	9,403.00		\$96.00			
Poll Taxes	94.00	4.00	2.00			
Yield Taxes	177.54	33.09	257.70	\$27.00	\$22.92	\$98.64
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
	\$60,259.61	\$9,771.79	\$355.70	\$27.00	\$22.92	\$233.46

EXHIBIT C-2**SUMMARY OF TAX SALE ACCOUNT****Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1962**

	Levy of 1961	Levy of 1960
DEBITS:		
Unredeemed Taxes, Dec. 31, 1961		\$30.85
Tax Sale, Nov. 20, 1962	\$60.88	
Interest	.63	.39
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	\$61.51	\$31.24
 CREDITS:		
Remittances to Treasurer:		
Redemptions	\$17.67	\$10.36
Interest	.63	.39
Unredeemed Taxes, Dec. 31, 1962	43.21	20.49
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	\$61.51	\$31.24

EXHIBIT C-3**SUMMARY OF STATE HEAD TAX WARRANTS****Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1962**

	Levies of:		
	1962	1961	1960
DEBITS:			
Uncollected Head Taxes, Dec. 31, 1961		\$260.00	\$5.00
Head Taxes Committed to Collector	\$875.00		
Added Head Taxes		10.00	
Penalties Collected	2.50	26.00	
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	\$877.50	\$293.00	\$5.00
CREDITS:			
Remittances to Treasurer:			
Head Taxes	\$595.00	\$260.00	
Penalties	2.50	26.00	
Uncollected Head Taxes, Dec. 31, 1962	280.00	10.00	\$5.00
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	\$877.50	\$293.00	\$5.00

EXHIBIT D**STATEMENT OF TOWN CLERK'S ACCOUNTS****Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1962****— Debits —****Motor Vehicle Permits Issued:**

1961 - Nos. 34508 - 34071	\$99.71	
1962 - Nos. 30109 - 30386	2,649.59	
1963 - Nos. 30101 - 30103	38.34	
	<hr/>	\$2,787.64

Dog Licenses Issued:

46 at \$2.00	\$92.00	
7 at \$5.00	35.00	
2 at \$25.00	50.00	
1 at \$12.00	12.00	
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	\$189.00	
Less: 56 Fees at \$0.20	11.20	
	<hr/>	177.80
Penalties Collected, 3 at \$0.50		1.50
Filing Fees		7.00
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		\$2,973.94

— Credits —**Remittances to Treasurer:**

Motor Vehicle Permits	\$2,789.64	
Dog Licenses and Penalties	179.90	
Filing Fees	7.00	
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	\$2,976.54	
Less: Excess Remittance	2.60	
	<hr/>	\$2,973.94

SUMMARY OF TRUST FUND PRINCIPAL, INCOME AND INVESTMENTS

Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1962

	Principal		Income				Balance of
	Balance 12/31/61	New Funds Created	Balance 12/31/62	Balance 12/31/61	Earned Dur. Yr.	Expended During Dur. Yr.	Principal & Income 12/31/62
Cemetery Funds:							
Emerson	\$300.00		\$300.00	\$338.15	\$26.57	\$20.00	\$644.72
John Batchelder Estate	500.00		500.00	217.51	38.01	25.00	730.52
Bridgewater Old Home							
Cemetery Association	500.00	\$100.00	600.00	614.34	58.92	40.00	1,233.26
Webster Cross	160.19		160.19	(10.93)	6.03	5.00	150.37
Whittemore Point	500.00		500.00	516.44	82.41	60.00	1,038.85
Capital Reserve Funds:							
Fire Department	1,000.00	500.00	1,500.00	8.33	59.95		1,568.28
Highway Equipment	2,000.00		2,000.00		115.45		2,115.45
	\$4,960.19	\$600.00	\$5,560.19	\$1,683.87	\$387.39	\$150.00	\$7,481.45
				Investments:			
						Amoskeag Savings Bank	\$730.52
						New Hampshire Savings Bank	2,916.83
						Plymouth Guaranty Savings Bank	150.37
						Bristol Savings Bank	3,683.73
							\$7,481.45

SELECTMEN'S REPORT OF INVENTORY

Land and Buildings	\$ 1,388,530.00
Mills and Machinery	6,300.00
Electric Plants	80,760.00
House Trailers used as Dwellings	4,650.00
Stock in Trade	5,000.00
Boats and Launches	4,800.00
Cows	1,450.00
Gasoline Pumps and Tanks	300.00
Road Building Machinery including Stone Crushers	21,650.00
Portable Mills	2,500.00
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Total Gross Valuation	\$ 1,515,940.00
Less: Soldiers' Exemptions	22,900.00
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Net Valuation	\$ 1,493,040.00
Taxes Committed to Collector	\$ 59,767.60
Tax Rate	\$ 4.00

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town Hall	\$ 5,000.00
Furniture and Equipment	370.00
Libraries	500.00
Fire Department	1,400.00
Highway Department:	
Trucks and Plows	\$ 9,500.00
A - C Tractor, Plow	500.00
Huber Maintainer	500.00
Tools, Misc. Equipment	1,000.00
	----- \$ 11,500.00
	\$ 18,770.00
Schools, Land, Buildings and Equipment	10,500.00

	\$ 29,270.00

SELECTMEN'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information in this report was taken from the official records and is complete to the best of our knowledge and belief.

HOLLIS L. POLLARD
ROBERT P. WILLIAMS, JR.
WILLIAM T. THISTLE

Selectmen of Bridgewater

DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES

Town Officers' Salaries:

Hollis L. Pollard, Selectman	\$300.00
Robert P. Williams, Jr., Selectman	300.00
William T. Thistle, Selectman	300.00
Quentin A. Curley, Tax Collector	613.57
Elizabeth Pollard, Clerk	75.00
Clara B. Jenness, Treasurer	75.00
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	\$ 1,663.57

Town Officers' Expense:

Record Print, Notices	\$ 5.20
Assoc. of N. H. Assessors, Dues	3.00
Robina Remick, Typing	3.00
Charles E. Woods, Transfers	21.45
Edson Eastman, Supplies	18.86
Charles M. Rodgers Co., Supplies	4.28
Journal Transcript, Rubber Stamps	4.80
Donald Cushing, Legal Advice	10.00
U. S. Postmaster, Postage	36.00
N. H. Municipal Assoc., Dues	18.00
Brown & Saltmarsh, Supplies	39.36
Enterprise Press, Town Reports	440.00
Pasquaney Grange, Rent	15.00
John C. Ray, Town Officers' Bonds	89.50
Anna Proctor, Transfers	.30
Lawrence L. Denton, Expenses	11.87
N. H. Tax Collectors' Assoc., Dues	3.00
Charles R. Hardy, Treasurer's Fees	3.00
State Tax Commissioner, Audit	156.87
Harold Trojano, Survey Town Lines	200.00
Gregg Typewriter, Supplies	13.23
Terminal Stationery, Supplies	17.15

F. M. Piper, Printing Records	20.77
Enterprise Press, Notices	21.00
Brauham Printing Co., Auto Manual	7.00
State of N. H., Assessment Cards	2.00
Hollis Pollard, Assessors Conv.	22.15
State of N. H., Boat Listing	21.70
Hollis Pollard, Expenses	46.42
Robert Williams, Expenses	19.27
William Thistle, Expenses	10.24
Elizabeth Pollard, Expenses	13.25
Quentin Curley, Expenses	75.97
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	\$ 1,373.64

Election and Registration:

Enterprise Press, Notices, Ballots, Check Lists	\$ 55.25
Record Print, Notices	9.40
Pasquaney Grange, Rent of Hall	35.00
E. J. Keegan & Co., Electric Cord and Plug	1.45
Byron Wiser, Supervisor	21.00
Agnes Murphy, Supervisor	15.00
Gladys Gustafson, Supervisor	33.76
Ethel Young, Supervisor	39.00
G. T. Young, Ballot Clerk	17.72
Edward Josephson, Moderator	30.00
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	\$ 257.58

Fire Protection (Including Forest Fires):

Fire Protection Co., Fire Equipment	\$ 24.75
Leo F. Lessard, Repair Fire Pump	25.65
Delmore Bucklin, Fire Permits	29.75
Ernest Woodward, Labor Dump Fire	2.50
Bristol Fire Dept., Morgan Fire	106.00
Bristol Fire Dept., Brock Fire	81.00

Bristol Fire Dept., Morrill Fire	51.05
Gorham Fire Equip. Co., Equipment	39.48
Gorham Fire Equip. Co., Portable Pump	469.10
Wright's Tydol Center, Gas and Oil	2.15
Plymouth Fire Dept., Bellucci Fire	50.15
Bartlett Auto Co., Wrecker Service	25.00
Delmore Bucklin, Sleeper Fire	3.18
Paul Paquette, Sleeper Fire	2.20
Plymouth Fire Dept., Auto Fire	25.50
Bristol Fire Dept., Coombs Fire	68.00
Bristol Fire Dept., Perkins Fire	118.00
Hollis Pollard, Warden Training	16.50
Donald Atwood, Warden Training	10.72
Raymond Tucker, Warden Training	10.86
Bristol Fire Dept., O'Neil Fire	44.00
Phelps Photo, Grid Maps	4.00
Clarece Braley, Labor	3.00
Treasurer, State of N. H., Fire Tools	128.62
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	\$ 1,341.16

Credits Fire Protection (Including Forest Fires):

State of N. H.	\$ 28.97
John Talcott, Jr.	50.85
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	\$ 79.82

Town Dump:

Howard Mitchell, Bulldozing	\$ 70.41
R. P. William & Sons, Bulldozing	153.00
Hollis Pollard, Burning Dump	82.50
Howard Mitchell, Mowing Fire Lane	9.75

Reginald Morrill, Burning Dump	13.50
Alfred Jenness, Use of River Road Dump	25.00
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	\$ 354.16

Town Hall:

E. C. Hackett, Wiring Town Hall	\$ 22.90
Gertrude Bucklin, Cleaning	5.63
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	\$ 28.53

Insurance:

John C. Ray	\$ 438.59
John Marsh Agency, Tractor Insurance	10.00
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	\$ 448.59

DETAILED EXPENDITURES OF HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

Labor:

John L. Jenness, Agent	\$3,298.09
Wendell Lougee	1,047.30
Ira Morrill	1,000.85
Mitchell Jenness	231.13
Maurice Jenness	60.28
Harry Smith	19.37
Victor Morrill	14.64
Paul Morrill	9.70
Robert Cass	261.57
Francis Clement	25.00
Peter Cass Jr.	27.51
Lawrence Fogg	164.52
Lawrence Fogg Jr.	88.89
	<hr/> \$6,248.85

Repairs:

Fred's Auto Service	\$1,075.86
Dick's Auto Body & Welding Shop	248.51
Sanel Auto Parts	225.00
Zibe's Repair	22.40
Pease Motors	60.40
Bartlett Auto Co.	238.30
G. A. Ober & Son	207.07
Mingolla Machinery Co.	391.39
Puccetti's Hardware	9.10
Rand's Hardware	7.58
Del's Garage	9.15
Hill Martin Co.	471.56
N.H. Explosives Co.	23.03
Downtown Auto Body	108.00

R. C. Hazelton Co.	129.00
Charles Gould	316.00
Beckley's Garage	20.00
Bucklin Tractor Co.	2.00
Ross Express	2.35
Micro Sonic Inc.	10.00
Wright's Tydol	2.00
C. B. Titus	42.00
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	\$3,620.70

Materials:

Warner Morrill Inc.	\$1,056.83
Merrimack Farmers Exchange	429.56
Donald Atwood	25.60
Tilton Sand & Gravel	72.89
Wirthmore Stores Inc.	419.90
John Jenness	33.50
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	\$2,038.28

Gas & Oil:

Gulf Oil Corp	\$1,065.34
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Equipment Hire:

Wendell Lougee	\$994.79
R. P. Williams & Sons	194.75
Rodney Jenness	46.80
John Jenness	168.00
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	\$1,404.34

Miscellaneous:

Enterprise Press	\$9.00
First National Bank of Bristol	4.44
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	\$13.44

BRIDGEWATER PUBLIC LIBRARY

River Road Station

Books on hand Jan. 1, 1962	1,074	
Books purchased	45	
Books donated	68	
Books on hand Dec. 31, 1962	—	1,187
Borrowed from Bookmobile	1,087	
Borrowed from Plymouth Library	19	
	—	1,106
		—
Total Books Available		2,293
Books loaned, adult	212	
Books loaned, children	1,103	
Total Books Loaned	—	1,315
Number of borrowers, adult	24	
Number of borrowers, children	38	
Total Number of Borrowers	—	62

The River Road Library has purchased a revolving bookcase to hold large size picture books with part of its gift money from the Old Home Day Sale Table, and a Dictionary of American History with the balance. Our thanks go to the donors for this fine gift.

We received a good collection of modern fiction from a generous neighbor. Also a roomy bookcase was loaned to us.

The Bookmobile no longer visits the Bridgewater School, so the library is borrowing more and lending more to the school children to fill the gap.

Respectfully submitted,

ALICE B. DICKINSON, Librarian

Turnpike Station

Number of Books Loaned:

Adults	394	Children	0
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Number of Patrons:

Adults	19	Children	0
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Books Available from Turnpike Station	837
Books Borrowed from Bookmobile	136
Books Purchased During 1962	35
Book Gifts	20

Respectfully submitted,

GERTRUDE M. BUCKLIN, Librarian

Library Treasurer's Report

Receipts:

Balance January 1, 1962	\$36.16	
Bank Interest	2.23	
Town Appropriation	225.00	
	<hr/>	\$263.39

Expenses:

Books and Postage:		
Turnpike Station	\$87.50	
River Road Station	113.66	
Salaries:		
Turnpike Station	25.00	
River Road Station	25.00	
Bookcase (River Road Sta.)	2.00	
	<hr/>	253.16
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Balance, December 31, 1962		\$10.23

ALICE B. DICKINSON, Treasurer

REPORT OF POLICE DEPARTMENT

Number of Calls During Year	27
Miles Traveled During Year	350
Total Number of Hours On Duty	46
Highway Accidents Handled	5
Felony Investigations	8
Disturbances Of Peace	3
Missing Persons	3
Miscellaneous Complaints	4
Court Cases	2
Persons Located	1
Supervised policing of dance halls and auctions, including Old Home Day.	

WILLIAM WEIR, Chief

OLD HOME WEEK REPORT

Receipts:

Plymouth Guaranty Savings Bank	\$ 254.06
Interest from Plymouth Savings Bank	12.55
Balance of 1961 appropriation	32.14
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	\$ 298.75

Payments:

Tuning Piano	\$ 6.00
Old Home Day Speaker	20.00
Record Print	29.64
Bristol Enterprise	1.60
Children's Prizes	8.80
Supplies	4.91
Noon Lunch	25.84
Funds Remaining from Previous	
Year's Appropriation	201.96
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	\$ 298.75

Respectfully Submitted,

PATRICIA G. MITCHELL,

Treasurer

NEWFOUND AREA NURSING ASSOCIATION

Nursing Report - 1962

<i>Date</i>	<i>Visits</i>
January	80
February	43
March	103
April	92
May	138
June 1 - 15	8

464

Total includes student office visits, school physicals & clinics

<i>Date</i>	<i>Patients</i>	<i>Visits</i>	<i>Student office calls</i>	<i>School Physicals</i>	<i>Clinics</i>
6/15 - 7/1		6			
July 1 - 31	4	20			158
Aug. 1 - 30	7	37			137
Sept. 1 - 30	9	26		31	
Oct. 1 - 31	6	19	5	88	
Nov. 1 - 30	3	14	4	78	235
Dec. 1 - 31	7	16	8	16	292
1/1 - 31/63	14	24	6	63	256
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Totals	50	162	23	276	1,078

RUTH FRYE, Chairman

Nursing Committee

Treasurer's Report - 1962*Receipts:*

Bal., checking acct., Jan. 1, 1962	\$658.47	
Town Appropriations	1,400.00	
Lindsay Fund	1,000.00	
Frank Fowler Fund	91.00	
Nursing Service	422.75	
Memberships	515.75	
Summer Festival	729.42	
Clubs and Organizations	165.00	
Federal Tax Refund	135.05	
<i>Total Receipts</i>	<hr/>	\$5,117.44

Disbursements:

Nurses Salaries (and taxes)	\$3,124.62	
Nurses Mileage	239.36	
Festival Expenses	187.32	
Telephone	186.65	
Postal Box Rent	4.80	
Treas. Bond, Nurses Ins.	75.60	
Legal Expense, By-Laws	13.00	
Bank Service Charges	.72	
Misc. Expense	49.00	
<i>Total Disbursements</i>	<hr/>	\$3,881.07
Bal., checking acct., Jan. 10, 1963	1,236.37	
	<hr/>	\$5,117.44

GRACE GRAY, Treasurer

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FIRE WARDEN'S REPORT

Preventing Forest Fires Is Our Responsibility

Costs of suppressing carelessly set outdoor fires in New Hampshire in 1962 cost the persons responsible \$5,545. In the same period, the cost to the cities and towns for control of such fires for which no responsibility could be placed cost another \$24,634. What utter waste of tax money and what shameful and needless loss of timber and esthetic values in the 2,200 acres burned. Residences, farms, and other business places were threatened with possible total destruction.

Carelessly set man caused fires can be prevented if every citizen remembers his responsibility in regard to any source of fires in the open. We can help to keep our fire loss low by remembering these simple rules.

1. Dispose of burnable waste at the town dump.
2. If waste or brush is to be burned on the premises, obtain a permit from the forest fire warden. Seasonal permits may be issued for approved incinerators and sites.
3. Burn safely by picking a clean site, avoiding dry windy weather and preferably late in the day.
4. Have something to keep the fire under control - pails of water, garden hose, sprinkling can, broom for grass fires or shovel will help.
5. Be sure your fire is dead out before you leave it.
6. If the fire gets out of control or if you see a fire out of control, report promptly to your warden or fire department. Continue to fight it until help arrives.

There is potential danger when matches fall into the hands of children. It is never too early for parents to instill in the child's mind a respect for fire.

Keep our town safe from fire.

In 1962 we had 2 fires. We burned 2 spots. Permits issued — 77.

GERALD S. GROSS
District Fire Chief

HOLLIS L. POLLARD
Forest Fire Warden

VITAL STATISTICS

— MARRIAGES —

Date and place of marriage; name and surname of bridegroom and bride; name and official station of person performing ceremony.

June 2, Bridgewater, Elm Lawn; Douglas B. Wilcox,
Frances Harriet Springer; Russel G. Schofield,
Clergyman, Melrose, Mass.

I hereby certify that the above return is correct
according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

ELIZABETH P. POLLARD, Town Clerk

— DEATHS —

Date and place of death; name and surname of deceased; age.

Sept. 4, Bridgewater; Francis D. Kirmayer; 58.

Oct. 26, Bridgewater; Harry W. Cass; 75.

Nov. 16, Bridgewater; Myra E. Emerson; 71.

I hereby certify that the above return is correct
according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

ELIZABETH P. POLLARD, Town Clerk

— BIRTHS —

*Date, place of birth; name and sex of child; name of father;
maiden name of mother; number of child.*

Feb. 19, Plymouth; James Richard, male; James R. Kelley;
June Dorothy Haywood; 4th.

Mar. 13, Plymouth; Deana Kay, female; Donald E. Atwood;
Arberta Belle Thompson; 5th.

May 3, Plymouth; Maria Santa, female; George Bellucci;
Marilyn Margaret Fortier; 3rd.

June 16, Franklin; Marsha Lynn, female; Laramie Eugene
Gilpatric; Mary Jane Lovett; 6th.

Aug. 29, Plymouth; Cindy Lou, female; Glenn Bernard
Hazelton; Marie Bernice Adams; 10th.

Dec. 20, 1897 (delayed certificate) Bridgewater; Forest
Roscoe, male; John Chauncy Gault; Melvina Battes.

I hereby certify that the above return is correct
according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

ELIZABETH P. POLLARD, Town Clerk

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF BRIDGEWATER

School Directory

District Officers

Ronald Towne	Moderator
Patricia Mitchell	Treasurer
Gertrude M. Bucklin	Clerk
Lawrence L. Denton	Auditor

School Board

Alice B. Dickinson	Term expires 1963
Catherine H. Drew	Term expires 1964
Gertrude M. Bucklin	Term expires 1965

Teachers

Anna E. Moses	River Road Gr. 1 - 4
Zanita S. Collins	River Road Gr. 5 - 8

Superintendent of Schools

Edward H. Currier

Attendance Officer

Clara Jennes

School Nurse

Clementina A. Banard, R. N.

School Calendar 1963 - 64

Open Sept. 4	Close Dec. 20
Open Jan. 6	Close Feb. 14
Open Feb. 24	Close Apr. 24
Open May 4	Close June 19

Days out: October 12; October 25, N. H. E. A. Convention; November 28, 29, Thanksgiving.

This schedule provides for 185 days but school will close at the end of 180 days. Days lost due to storms or emergencies must be made up.

Total number of days required by State Law is 180 with pupils in attendance.

Pupils must enter the first grade if six by Sept. 30 and may enter if six by Jan. 1.

Vaccination is required by State Law unless child has written excuse from doctor.

SCHOOL WARRANT

The State of New Hampshire

**To the Inhabitants of the School District in the Town of
Bridgewater qualified to vote in district affairs :**

You are hereby notified to meet at the River Road School House in said district on the 5th day of March 1963, at eight o'clock in the afternoon to act upon the following subjects :

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agent of the district.
6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
8. To see what sum of money the district will raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the salaries of school district officials and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the district, and to authorize the applicaion against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the state foundation aid fund together with other income; the

school board to certify to the selectmen the balance between the estimated revenue and the appropriation, which balance is to be raised by taxes by the town.

9. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands at said Bridgewater this 13th day of February 1963.

ALICE B. DICKINSON
CATHERINE H. DREW
GERTRUDE M. BUCKLIN

School Board

A true copy of Warrant — Attest:

ALICE B. DICKINSON
CATHERINE H. DREW
GERTRUDE M. BUCKLIN

School Board

COMPARATIVE BUDGETS

Item	Budget 1962-63	Proposed Budget 1963-64
100 Administration		
110.1 Salaries of District Officers	\$189.00	\$186.00
135 Contracted Services for Administration	13.00	13.00
190.1 Other Expenses of District Officers	249.41	250.00
200 Instruction		
210.3 Salaries of Teachers	8,300.00	8,600.00
215 Textbooks	200.00	200.00
220 School Libraries & Audiovisual Mat.	6.00	20.00
230 Teaching Supplies	194.00	250.00
235 Contracted Services for Instruction		37.00
290 Other Expenses for Instruction	125.00	100.00
300 Attendance Services		
310 Salaries for Attendance Services	5.00	5.00
500 Pupil Transportation		
535 Contracted Serv., Pupil Transportation	5,699.00	5,699.00
600 Operation of Plant		
610 Salaries for Operation of Plant	450.00	450.00
630 Supplies for Operation of Plant	90.00	100.00
640 Heat for Buildings	350.00	400.00
645 Utilities	210.00	225.00
700 Maintenance of Plant		
725 Replacement of Equipment	50.00	50.00
726 Repairs to Equipment	50.00	50.00
735 Contracted Serv., Maint. of Plant	50.00	50.00
766 Repairs to Buildings	50.00	50.00
800 Fixed Charges		
850.2 Teachers' Retirement System	414.92	436.00
850.3 F.I.C.A. (Soc. Sec.)	153.75	188.00
855 Insurance	152.73	153.00
1200 Capital Outlay		
1267 Equipment	190.00	200.00
1300 Debt Service From Current Monies		
1380 Principal of Debt	1,000.00	
1371 Interest on Debt	30.00	
1400 Outgoing Transfer Accounts		
1477.1E Tuition	5,654.00	4,432.00
1477.1H Tuition	5,695.00	8,570.00
1477.3 Dist. Share of Supervisory Union Exp.	1,604.67	1,789.00
1477.4 Tax for State Wide Supervision	123.00	150.00
Totals	\$31,294.48	\$32,644.00
SCHOOL BOARD'S ESTIMATE		
	Estimated	
N.D.E.A.	Receipts	
	\$100.00	
Total Other Than Property Taxes	\$100.00	
DISTRICT ASSESSMENT	32,544.00	
TOTAL APPROPRIATION	\$32,644.00	

EXPENDITURES 1961 - 62**Item****Administration:**

Salaries of district officers	\$ 186.00
Superintendent's salary (local share)	422.74
Tax for state wide supervision	164.00
Salaries of other administrative personnel	275.54
Supplies and expenses	535.29

Instruction:

Teachers' salaries	7,943.56
Books and other aids	118.09
Scholars' supplies	433.13
Supplies and other expenses	65.16

Operation of School Plant:

Salary of janitor	400.00
Fuel or heat	393.49
Water, light, supplies and expenses	305.30

Maintenance of School Plant:

Repairs and replacements	238.87
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Auxiliary Activities:

Health supervision	214.17
Transportation of pupils	5,690.00
Tuition, high school	6,052.00
Tuition, elementary	5,376.00
Special activities and special funds	21.83

Fixed Charges:

Retirement	591.33
Insurance, treasurer's bonds and expenses	157.75

Capital Outlay:

New Equipment	72.08
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Debt and Interest:

Principal on debt	1,000.00
Interest on debt.	60.00

Total Expenditures	\$ 30,716.33
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FINANCIAL REPORT

Of School Treasurer and School Board

For Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1962

Treasurer's Report

Summary:

Cash on Hand July 1, 1961	\$ 641.53
Received from Selectmen, current appropriation	\$ 27,650.19
Received from Selectmen, special appropriation	2,120.00
Received from State Treasurer, state funds	320.34
Received from all other sources	16.64
Total Receipts	————— \$ 30,107.17
Total Amount Available for Fiscal Year	30,748.70
Less School Board Orders Paid and Bank Service Charges	30,716.33
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Balance on Hand June 30, 1962	\$ 32.37

July 7, 1962

PATRICIA G. MITCHELL, Treasurer.

Auditor's Certificate

This is to certify that I have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Bridgewater, N. H., of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1962 and find them correct in all respects.

July 15, 1962

LAWRENCE L. DENTON, Auditor

SCHOOL BOARD'S REPORT

Receipts from:

Selectmen, appropriation	\$ 27,650.19
Selectmen, deficiency appropriation	2,120.00
State Treasurer, Building Aid	320.34
All other sources	16.64
Total Receipts	<hr style="width: 100px; margin-left: 0;"/> \$ 30,107.17
Cash on hand July 1, 1961	641.53
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Grand Total	\$ 30,748.70

Detailed Statement of Payments

Salaries of District Officers:

Catherine Drew, school board	\$ 40.00
Alice Dickinson, school board	40.00
Gertrude Bucklin, school board & clerk	63.00
Patricia Mitchell, treasurer	40.00
Lawrence Denton, auditor	3.00
	<hr style="width: 100px; margin-left: 0;"/> \$ 186.00

Superintendent's Salary:

Supervisory Union No. 4	\$ 422.74
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Tax for State Wide Supervision:

N. H. State Treasurer	\$ 164.00
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Salaries of Other Administrative Personnel:

Supervisory Union No. 4	\$ 260.54
Clara Jennes, truant officer & census	15.00
	<hr style="width: 100px; margin-left: 0;"/> \$ 275.54

Supplies and Expenses:

N. H. Dept. of Public Welfare	\$ 1.00
First National Bank, service charge	5.49

Frank W. Yeaw, Treas., N. H.	
Music Educators Assoc., dues	5.00
Supervisory Union No. 4, share	
of expenses	370.90
The Enterprise Press, printing	6.00
The Record Print, printing	4.30
Caro Jones, travel	2.20
Phyllis Taylor, travel	12.60
N. H. School Board's Assoc., dues	10.00
A. E. Martell Co., binder	5.51
Internal Revenue Service	27.47
Catherine Drew, expenses	18.77
Alice Dickinson, expenses	6.55
Gertrude Bucklin, expenses	46.95
Patricia Mitchell, expenses	12.55
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	\$ 535.29

Teachers' Salaries:

Zanita Collins	\$ 3,199.62
Anna Moses	3,066.74
N. H. State Treasurer, social security	236.40
Internal Revenue Service	814.70
Caro Jones, substitute	33.62
Phyllis Taylor, substitute	28.32
N. H. Teachers Retirement System	311.30
Supervisory Union No. 4, music	
supervisor	252.86
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	\$ 7,943.56

Books and Other Instructional Aids:

Follett Publishing Co.	\$ 9.38
The L. W. Singer Co.	62.28
Educational Service Co.	11.27
Scott, Foresman & Co.	34.02
J. L. Hammett Co.	1.14
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	\$ 118.09

Scholars' Supplies :

University of New Hampshire	\$ 6.00	
A. J. Nystrom & Co.	4.25	
J. L. Hammett Co.	1.14	
Houghton Mifflin Co.	82.42	
American Book Co.	9.82	
Scott, Foresman & Co.	85.10	
Mainco Trading Co.	36.47	
Follett Publishing Co.	18.58	
Harcourt, Brace & World, Inc.	19.54	
WENH - TV, guides	3.25	
Carmel Hobby Show	10.01	
Test Service & Advisement Center	6.80	
Lee Ward	9.53	
Drew's Greenhouse	5.50	
Cardigan Sport Store	7.50	
Webster Publishing Co.	5.87	
American Education Publications	26.00	
American Audio Visual, Inc.	5.59	
Supervisory Union No. 4, supplies	36.71	
Milton Bradley Co.	53.05	
	<hr/>	\$ 433.13

Supplies and Other Expenses of Instruction :

N. H. State Library, lost book	\$ 2.91	
WENH - TV, fee	8.25	
J. L. Hammett Co.	2.29	
Alger Sherman, tuning piano	14.00	
C. S. Hammond Co., atlas	22.67	
Cardigan Sport Store	1.35	
Myers & Carrington, plays	9.84	
Bristol School District	3.85	
	<hr/>	\$ 65.16

Salaries of Custodians :

Teofila Drew	\$ 400.00
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Fuel:

Burness Swett	\$ 393.49
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Water, Light, Supplies and Expenses:

N. H. Electric Corp., Inc.	\$ 251.78	
Rand's, supplies	14.08	
White River Paper Co., supplies	26.43	
Bristol Cash Market	.99	
M. D. Stetson, supplies	5.56	
Teofila Drew, supplies	6.46	
	<hr/>	\$ 305.30

Repairs and Replacements:

Fletcher's Paint Works, supplies	\$ 26.50	
Prescott Lumber Co., supplies	1.35	
Linda F. Ohlson, painting & cleaning	65.25	
Gertrude Bucklin, painting & cleaning	59.50	
Paul Morrill, glass & labor	2.00	
Bristol School District, floor finish & labor	43.90	
George Preble, mileage to do floors	3.08	
Wayne L. Hughes	24.01	
Rand's, supplies	9.28	
David B. Dickinson, repairs on T. V. stand	4.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 238.87

Health Supervision:

Supervisory Union No. 4, nurse's salary & supplies	\$ 214.17
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Transportation:

Clara Jennes	\$ 2,163.00
Pearle Morrill	2,450.00

Elizabeth Torsey	900.00	
Marie Hazelton	177.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 5,690.00

Tuition, High School:

Ashland School District	\$ 1,744.00	
Bristol School District	3,488.00	
Plymouth School District	820.00	
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Tuition, Elementary School:

Bristol School District	\$ 5,376.00
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Special Activities and Special Funds:

Buckland's Flowers	\$ 8.80	
Anna Moses, Christmas expenses	5.00	
Patricia Mitchell, graduation expenses	6.63	
Supervisory Union No. 4, soft ball bat	1.40	
	<hr/>	\$ 21.83

Retirement:

N. H. State Treasurer, Social Security	\$ 145.29	
N. H. Teachers Retirement System	384.56	
Supervisory Union No. 4, share of retirement & S. S. for clerk, nurse, supt. & music supervisor	61.48	
	<hr/>	\$ 591.33

Insurance, Treasurer's Bonds and Expenses:

John C. Ray	\$ 157.75
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New Equipment:

Rand's, hardware for bookcase	\$ 5.08
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Donald Atwood, lumber for bookcases	25.00	
Milton Bradley Co., chairs	42.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 72.08

Principal of Debt:

The First National Bank of Bristol	\$ 1,000.00
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Interest on Debt:

The First National Bank of Bristol	60.00
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Total Expenditures	<hr/>	\$ 30,716.33
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Certificate

This is to certify that the information in this report was taken from official records and is complete and correct to the best of our knowledge and belief. The accounts are kept in accordance with Section 24 of Chapter 71 of the Revised Statutes Annotated, and upon forms prescribed by the State Tax Commission.

ALICE B. DICKINSON,
CATHERINE H. DREW,
GERTRUDE M. BUCKLIN,

School Board

GENERAL STATISTICS

Enrollment by Grades

1961 - 62									
Grades	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Total
	7	3	8	2	2	4	4	4	34
1962 - 63									
Nov	5	8	7	7	3	4	4	5	43

District Totals

	Av. Attend.	Av. Abs.	Av. Memb.	% Attend.
1960 - 61	33.0	1.0	34.0	97.2
1962 - 63 (Nov.)	41.3	1.7	43.0	96.0

TUITION PUPILS

Ashland High School — Rate \$457.00

	Grade
John Cass	9
Robert Cass	10
Doris Phinney	12

Bristol High School — Rate \$444.00

Joyce Simpson (10/29 - 12/21)	9
Lorraine Wilcox	9
Constance Cyr	10
Harvey Fogg	10
Robert Tucker	10
John Morgan, Jr.	11

Bristol Elementary School — Rate \$257.00

Robert Williams	1
Colleen Jenness	2
Geoffrey Denton	3
Scott Curley	4
Maurice Jenness	4
James Morrill	4
William Thistle	4
John Weir	4
Lawrence Denton	5
Catherine Jenness	5
Barbara Westberg	6
Stephanie Sleeper	7
Stephen Sleeper	7
Margaret Westberg	7
Gordon Cavis	8
William Weir	8

Plymouth High School — Rate \$415.00

Carol Belucci	9
Sterlin Gray	9
Derwood Gray	10
Sandra Mitchell	11

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

Another legislative year has arrived, and it seems that no other area of State business is getting more attention than Education. The publication of the preliminary report of the Legislative Interior Commission on Education has encouraged many people to take a hard look at our whole system. This report is based on a great deal of study and is the result of thousands of hours of real work. It is deserving of serious study, for its conclusions are very significant for the Towns in this area. There is no indication of immediate legislation to implement the suggestions of the report, except possibly in the area of increased State aid to school districts. We should all watch carefully those items of legislation which affect our schools, and let our representatives know how we expect them to vote.

Of particular interest to citizens of the Newfound Area is the bill which is being drafted to enable the seven towns to form a regional school district. This legislation is being made necessary by the desire of the school study committee to provide for the accomplishment of this cooperation by using some ideas not incorporated in the present Cooperative School Law. Between the time that this is available, a great deal of information will be disseminated in various ways. It is our sincere hope that folks will make up their minds after this information is available to them.

As we have so frequently indicated, the facilities at Bristol Memorial High School are overcrowded now, and future enrollments figures give promise of a greater, not a smaller, burden on these facilities. This is not only Bristol's problem, as whatever is done there will materially affect the education of the young people in the surrounding Towns.

The average salary for the teachers in New Hampshire's elementary schools this year is \$4900. For high school teachers the average is \$5225. There is a shortage of elementary teachers in the state, and, wherever we pay less than the average, we have difficulty finding teachers to come to our smaller schools. Whenever we find one who is willing to start here we take a chance on

the quality of her teaching, and serve as a training school for larger and more affluent districts.

We have many fine, dedicated teachers in this area who are offering a good, sound educational background to our youngsters. It is our intent and hope to keep them, and to be able to get equally effective people to replace them when they leave and to supplement the staffs when necessary.

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD H. CURRIER,
Superintendent of Schools

SUPERVISORY UNION NO. FOUR BUDGET 1961 - 62

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Date Due

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